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Virginia Regulatory Town Hall
By Electronic Mail

Re: Criminal Justice Services Board
Repeal of Rules Relating to Compulsory Minimum Training Standards for
Noncustodial Employees of the Department of Corrections
6 VAC 20-70

Dear All:

I have reviewed the above regulation and concur with the action to repeal the regulations as the Department of Criminal Justice Services does not have statutory authority to regulate the compulsory minimum training standards of the Department of Corrections' noncustodial employees.

This approval does not address compliance or non-compliance with the procedural requirements governing the promulgation process. This approval addresses legal matters only and is not intended to serve as a comment for or against the merits of the action.

Very truly yours,

s/Cathie F. Hutchins
Senior Assistant Attorney General